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Hongkong, May 7, 1885.

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Savings' Bank Business is forwarded free

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CORPORATION.

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Hongtong, February 15, 1880.

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Hongkong, February 27, 1886.

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HONGKONG, WEDNESDAY, MARCH 3, 1886.

Established February, 1845.

Notices of Firms.

MOTIOE,

TATE Have authorized Mr. CARL HENDY & Co., 37, Walbrook, E.C. W BEUF SAMUEL DEACON & Co., 150 & 154, Procuration. BEURMANN to Sign our Firm per

> ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. Hongkong, February 22, 1886.

> > NOTIOE.

AUSTRALIA, TASMANIA, AND NEW ZEALAND :- GORDON & GOTON, Mel-MY Brother, Mr. HERBERT D. HUT CHISON, has been authorised to SAN FRANCISCO and American Ports Sign per Pro during my Absence from the generally :- Bean & Black, Son Fran-

> JOHN D. HUTCHISON, Merchant Hongkong.

22nd February, 1886. NOTICE.

THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr. HENRY DE COURCY FORBES in our Firm in China, Hongkong and elsethere, CEASED on the 31st December, 1884. RUSSELL & Co.

Hongkong, February 22, 1886.

Intimations,



GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

\$7,500,000 THE Public are hereby notified that FIELD FIRING will take place in the VALLEY below the Wantsai Gap, between 2 and 7 p.m. on THURSDAY, the 4th BOTTOMLEY, E. H. M. HUSTING-Instant.

FREDERICK STEWART. Acting Coloniel Secretary. COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE. Hongkong, 2nd March, 1886.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

IN BANKRUPTOY,

TOTICE, GEORGE HOLMES, of No. 11. 14, Praya Central, Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong, Ship and PASSENGER N. Current Deposit Account at the rate BROKER, having been adjudged a Bankrupt of 2 per cent, per annum on the daily under a Petition for adjudication in Bankruptcy filed in the Supreme Court of Hongkong, on the 16th day of October, 1885 and having passed his Last Examination at a Public Sitting held before the Honorable Sir George Phillippo, Knight, Chief Justice of this Honorable Court, on MONDAY, the 1st day of March instant, the applica-Credits granted on approved Securities, tion by the Bankrupt for his order of discharge will be heard by the said Court, on WEDNESDAY, the 24th day of March instant, at 11 o'Clock in the Forencen. shief Commercial places in Europe, India,

Dated 2nd day of March, 1886. WOTTON & DEACON,

Solicitors, Acting in the Bankruptcy, 35, Queen's Road,

HOSPEDAGE ESPANOL WELLINGTON STREET, No. 39, Opposite the Catholic Church.

1.—The business of the above Bank will BOARDING and Lodging of a \$40. be conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, on their Boarding and Lodging of Two Perpremises in Hongkong. Business hours sons in a room, per month..... on week-days, 10 to 3: Saturdays, 10 Boarding and Lodging of a Person one day ..... 2.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250

EALS supplied at Reasonable Terms under Payment in Advance, Hongkong, March 1, 1886.

LEE YUEN SUGAR REFINING COM-PANY, LIMITED.

Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for 12 months TOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRA-ORDINARY MEETING of the 4.—Interest at the rate of 31 per cent. per SHAREHOLDERS of the LES YUEN SUGAR annum will be allowed to depositors on REFINING COMPANY, LIMITED, will be held at the Offices of the Company at the Re-5. - Each Depositor will be supplied gratis finery, Bowrington, Victoria, Hongkong. with a Pass-Book which must be pre- on FRIDAY, the 12th of March, 1886, at sented with each payment or with 3 o'Clock p.m., for the purpose of Confirm-drawal. Depositors must not make ing the Resolutions passed at a Meeting of any entries themselves in their Pass- the Company held on the 24th of February, Books but should send them to be 1886, requiring the Company to be wound written up at least twice a year, about up voluntarily and appointing ANDREW the beginning of January and begin- Johnston, Esq., LAU WAI CHUEN, Esq., and La Kine Ting, Esq., Liquidators.

> General Managers, Hongkong, February 24, 1886.

LAI YUK SON.

THE HONGKONG DAIRY.

KENNEDY having received number of First Class MILCHCOWS is again in a position to SUPPLY his old e istomers and the Community with FRESH

Orders sent to the REPOSITORY will be punctually attended to. Hongkong, February 17, 1886.

CHAS. J. GAUPP & Co., Chromometer, Watch & Clock Makers, Jewellers, Gold & Silversmiths. ATAUTICAL, SCIENTIFIC AND METEOROLOGICAL INSTRUMENTS.

VOIGILANDER'S CELEBRATED BINOCULARS AND TELESCOPES. RITCHIE'S LIQUID AND OTHER COMPASSES ADMIRALTY & IMRAY CHARTS, NAUTICAL BOOKS.

at 3 p.m. on WEDNESDAY 17th March 1886 for the purpose of Confirming the English SILVER & ELECTRO-PLATED WARE Christofie & Co.'s ELECTRO-PLATED WARE. Resolution authorising the Directors apply for a Renewal of the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Ordinance of 1866, which GOLD & SILVER JEWELLERY, in great variety. was duly proposed and passed at the Extra-ordinary Meeting of the Corporation held DIAMONDS

OH AND HO DIAMOND JEWELLERY, A Splendid Collection of the Latest LONDON

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HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

Fully paid Scrip of the Corporation's SHIPMASTERS and ENGINEERS are Stock, carrying interest from date of their arrival in this Harbour, NONE, of issue, and exchangeable for Stock the Company's FOREMEN should be at hand, Orders for REPAIRS if sent to the HEAD OFFICE, No. 14, Prays Central, will receive prompt attention.

In the Event of Complaints being found necessary, Communication with the Undersigned is requested, when immediate steps will be taken to rectify the cause of disbatisfaction.

D. GILLIES.

Hongkong, August 23, 1885.

Business Notices.

LANE, CRAWFORD ARE NOW INTRODUCING A NEW

1X/ILL Burn any mineral Oil, consuming less per Candle light COMPANY, LIMITED, will be held at

than any other Lamp known. No smell under any condition.

Cannot by any possible accident explode.

Most simple to trim and fill, and has only one wick. Gives a whiter and more powerful Light than any Lamp ever invented. No. 1 burner gives a Light of 43 Candles; No. 2 burner gives a Light of 63 Candles, with a diminutal and which was duly proposed and passed at the Extraordinary Meeting of the Company held on the 17th February, 1886.

of oil in five hours and three hours and a bulf respectively.

ONE HANGING LAMP will light a Room 20 feet square at a cost of \ cent per hour.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. are now SELLING these LAMPS in a variety of ELEGANT PATTERNS. PRICE FROM \$8.00 BACH. GO

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Hongkong, February 12, 1886.

QUEEN'S ROAD (OPPOSITE HONGKONG HOTEL),

Scotch Tweed Suit, \$15.00.

Over 100 patterns of Stylish Tweeds of Exceptionally Good value to select from.

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rames printed).

'Cavendish on Whist.'

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'Col. Drayson on Whist.'

Nun's VEILINGS in every Colour,

VICTORIA EXCHANGE, February 27, 1886.

DROCTOR'S 'How to play Whist,'

'Home Whist,' by Five of Clubs.

'The American Hoyle' (best book of

Walker's The Correct Card, or How to

Whist Developments,' by Cavendish.

Pole's 'The Theory of Whist.'

American Whist, by J. W. P.

Modern Billiards,' by Collender.

Hongkong, March 1, 1886.

large DINING HALL.

and Smoking Rooms.

Hongkong, September 16, 1885.

Intimations.

CORPORATION.

the Honekong and Shanghar Banking

CORPORATION will be held at the CITY HALL

on SATURDAY the 27th February 1886.

By Order of the Court of Directors,

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.'s

PIERS AND GODOWNS,

WEST POINT.

Hongkong, March 1, 1886.

as well as GRNERAL MERCHANDISE

to the MANAGER, or to

Advances made on Cargo stored

Hongkong, December 2, 1885,

For Rates and further Particulars, apply

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

T. JACKSON,

Ohief Manager.

TOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRA-

ORDINARY General MEETING of

Continental languages are spoken.

While advertising our 'Specialties' we also wish to draw the attention of our Customers to our, now, complete Stock of TWEED SUITINGS, COAT-INGS, TROUSERINGS, SER-GES, FLANNELS, &c. A large and choice selection of the newest FABRICS of English, Scotch and Continental Manufacture.

from medium to the very finest qualities. Hongkong, October 1, 1885.

JUST RECEIVED

A spleadid variety of PRINTS, GALATEAS, ZEPHYRS, and WASHING

BROCHE and BRILLIANTS in White and Colours.

LADIES' and GENTLEMEN'S MACINTOSHES and UMBRELLAS.

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BOOKS OF GAMES AND SPORT.

KELLY & WALSH, LIMITED, HONGKONG.

Victoria Hotel,

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THIS Extensive and well-appointed Establishment, situated in one of the most central

The ROOMS are spacious, well ventilated and have just been refurnished in a most

The Accommodation and Service of every kind will be found to be of the best description,

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The HOTEL also contains handsome and comfortable Reception, READING, BILLIARD

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THESE are now in Working Order, - | are requested to Furnish the Under-

The GODOWNS are two storied, dry, may be arranged. Returns not rendered

arry, and well suited for the STORAGE of prior to the Slar DAY OF MARCH INSTANT

Silk, Corrow and Woollen Preor Goods, will be adjusted by the Orrice, and no

STRAMERS are BERTHED at the Wharf, signed with a Last of their Contributions and Cargo Received and Stours at Cheap for the year ending 31st December, 1885, in

The HOTEL is unsurpassed for comfort, convenience and quick service.

and airy positions in the Colony and commanding a splendid view of almost

the entire harbour and within five minutes' walk of the principal Government

Offices (including the Post Office), Banks, &c., has recently been much enlarged and improved and is now one of the principal Horkes in the place.

comfortable and handsome manner, suited to the requirements of the Far East.

Messrs. DORABJEE & HING KEE,

Intimations.

CORPORATION.

THE DIVIDEND declared for the Half-

of (10/) Ten Shillings Sterling per Share

MONDAY, the 1st March, at the OFFICES

of the Corporation, where Shareholders

JANTON INSURANCE OFFICE,

LIMITED.

ADJUSTMENT OF BONUS FOR THE YEAR 1880.

MONTRIBUTORS to the above OFFICE

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED.

Hongkoog, March 1, 1886,

General Agents.

T. JACKSON,

Chief Manager.

are requested to apply for WARRANTS.

Hongkong, February 27, 1886.

By Order of the Court of Directors,

Year ending 31st December last, at

POWELL & Co.

WALSH,

Cards and Dice.

Pennell-Elmhurst

and the Field.

England Super-

W. POWELL & Co.

'Lawn Tennis,' by Lieut. S.-C. F. Peile.

Morseman's 'Instructions for Games with

Staunton's 'Chess Player's Companion.

Staunton's 'Chess Player's Hand-book.

'The Oream of Leicestershire, by Capt.

'The Coaching Age,' by Stanley Harris.' Modern Wild Fowling,' by Wild Fowler

Stonehenge's 'The Horse in the Stable

'Horses and Roads,' by Free Lance:

Stonohenge's British Rural Sports.

Gossip's 'Chess Player's Manual.'

Dress Suit.

\$30.00.

the Sixth day of March, 1886, for the undermentioned SUPPLIES and SERfine Cloth made VICES required by the COMMISSARIAT and TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT at Hongkong and to our special Out-posts, during the year from 1st April, 1886, to 31st March, 1887 :--SUPPLIES. and 1. For Her Majesty's Troops. - Provi-2.—For Hospitals.—Provisions, Fruit, climate.

WINES, PORTER, ALE, SPIRITS, &c. SCAVENGING, SWEEPING CHIMNEYS, and SPEPINING DEV EARTH to LATRINES. LEGITING and SUPELVING OIL for Ex-

Intimations.

THE HONGKONG ICE COMPANY,

LIMITED.

the RECISTERED OFFICE of the Company

Peddar's Street, Victoria, Hongkong, at Noon, on THURSDAY, the 4th day of

of Association by striking out Article 34

and substituting in lieu thereof an Article

provided for the subdivision of the existing

Company of \$100 each into Shares

of \$25 each will be proposed at such

Meeting, and if passed by the re-

quisite majority will be authmitted

for confirmation as a Special Resolu-

tion to a subsequent Extraordinary

General Meeting to be duly con-

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

Hongkong, February 17, 1886.

ARMY CONTRACTS-1886-7.

until 12 o'Clock, Noon, on SATURDAY,

ENDERS, in Duplicate, will be Re-

ceived at the undermentioned Oprice.

General Managers.

TOTIOE is hereby given that An EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL

5.—R. Marit Commissariat Boats. 6. -PURIORSE OF EMPTY POETER CASES. Samples to accompany each Tender for Hospital Supplies.

Forms of Tender, Conditions of Contract, and any further Participars, may be obtained on application at this OFFICE, by letter WHITE and Coloured BROCADED LACE MUSLINS, CHECK, STRIPE, addressed to the SENIOR COMMISSARIAT OFFICER, or in Person, between the hours of 10 and 4 o'Clock, and no Tender will be entertained unless made upon the Form so obtained.

The Tenders must be properly filled up, signed, and dated, and no Tender will be noticed unless delivered at the undermentioned Office, by 12 o'Clock, Noon, on the above-named date, under closed envelope marked 'Tender for Army Contracts' on

Commissariat & Transport Office, Hongkong, March 1, 1886.

NOTIOE.

PPLICATIONS, in writing, for the post of SECRETARY of the Hong-KONG CLUB will be Received by the Undersigned up to the 20th March, 1886. By Order of the Committee,

> EDWARD BEART, Secretary:

HONGKONG CLUB. 20th February, 1886.

Notices to Consignees.

FROM LONDON, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship Glengarry having arrived from the above Forts, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Undersigned, whence and/or from the Wharves or Boats delivery may be obtained.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon To-DAY, the 25th Instant. Cargo remaining undelivered after the 4th March will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

Hongkong, February 25, 1886. UNION LINE,

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM LONDON AND SINGAPORE

THE Steamship Chelydra, Captain H. Peace, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Leding to

the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods the Rate of (£2) Two Pounds and BONUS from alongside. Cargo impeding the discharge of the of \$125, are PAYABLE on and after Steamer will be at once landed and stored

at Consignees' risk and expense, and no Fire Insurance will be effected. All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 8th March, or they will not be re-

RUSSELL & Co., Agents. Hongkong, February 27, 1886.

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FROM CALOUTTA, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

MHE Company's S.S. Taisang, having arrived from the above Ports, Consigness of Cargo by her are hereby informed that Order that the DISTRIBUTION of BONUS | their Goods, are being landed at their risk into JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.'s West Point Godowns, whence delivery may be obtained. Claims or Alterations will be subsequently 4th March will be subject to rent No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, February 25, 1888.

日八十月正年戌丙

Entertainment.

CITY HALL.

MEETING of the HONGKONG ICE THE HONGKONG & CANTON AMATEUR DRAMATIC CLUBS Have the honor to announce that March, 1886, for the purpose of Confirming the Resolution for amending the Articles PERFORMANCE

WILL HE GIVEN ON E S D 9th March, at 9 p.m.,

Shares of \$100 each of the said Company IN AID OF THE FUND for the REBUILDING OF THE CANTON THEATRE If the aforesaid Resolution be duly con-Destroyed in the Riots, firmed, a Resolution for the subdi-When will be Performed vision of the existing Shares of the

H. J. BYRON'S COMEDY

in 3 Acts, entitled

WEAK WOMAN. Tickets (\$2 each) may be obtained from

lessrs. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.'s, on and after Wednesday, 3rd March, at 9 a.m. H. M. THOMSETT, Hon. Sceretary.

Hongkong, February 27, 1886.

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION. THE Undersigned has received instruc-

tions to Sell by Public Auction, on THURSDAY, the 4th March, 1886, at 2 p.m., at his

Sales Rooms, Queen's Road,-AN ASSORTMENT OF JAPANESE WARE, comprising :-KANGA, KIOTO, TORIO and SATSUMA

VASES, JARS, BOWLS, PLATES, TEA and COFFEE SETS, EGG-SHELL WARE, TORIO ENAMELLED WARE, GOLD and SILVER IN-LAID BRONZES, ARMOUR, SWORDS, PANELS, BLACKWOOD INLAID BRACKETS and CABINET SILE EMBROIDERED KARIMONOS & SCREENS OLD NITCHKIS, EMBROIDERIES, DRESSING Gowns, SILE HANDEBROBIEFS.

TERMS OF SALE .- As customary. J. M. ARMSTRONG,

Hongkong, March 1, 1886.

To Let.

TO LET.

FIVE-ROOMED HOUSE at the PEAK, Good TENNIS GROUND attached. Apply to

DENNYS & MOSSOP. Hongkong, January 28, 1886.

TO LET. THE 'EYRIE' PEAK. FURNISHED. Apply to

BELILIOS & Co. Hongkong, February 27, 1886.

TO LET THE HOUSE in CASTLE ROAD No.

Apply to the Spanish Procusation, No. 14, Caine Road. Terms moderate. Possession on the first of the month. Hongkong, February 6, 1886.

Shipping.

Steamers.

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND

CALCUTTA. The Co.'s Steamship Taisang.

Captain Davies, will be despatched for the above Ports on THURSDAY, the 4th March, at This Steamer has superior First-class Accommodation, specially constructed to meet the requirements of tropical climates.

General Managers, Hongkong, February 24, 1886. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

For Freight or Passage, apply to

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL The Co.'s Steamship Capt. BREMNER, will be despatched as above on THURSDAY, the 4th Proximo. For Freight or Passage, apply to

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, February 25, 1886.

UNION LINE

FOR YOKOHAMA AND HIGGO. The Steamship Stanmore,

Capt. Devereux, will be despatched for the above Portson FRIDAY, the 5th Inst., at 3 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co., Agents,

Hongkong, March 2, 1886. INDO-OHINA STEAM NAVIGATION

COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR TIENTSIN (DIRECT.)

The Ca's Steamship Captain Sawer, will be despatched us above on SATURDAY, the 6th Instant, at 3 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers

Hongkong, March 2, 1886,

PRICE, \$2 PER MONTH.

Shipping. Steamers.

SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS

J. DANGASTER, Com der, will be despatched for

For Freight or Passage, apply to

FOR SHANGHAI VIA AMOY. (Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates for NINGPO, CHEFOO, NEW. CHWANG, TIENTSIN, HANKOW and

Menclaus,
Captain Nelson, will be
despatched as above, on The Co.'s Steamship SATURDAY, the 6th Instant,

FOR HIOGO AND YOKOHAMA

of as previously notified.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

UNION LINE.

Prinz Friedrich Carl,
Captain Linde, will be
despatched for the above Ports on MONDAY, the 15th Instant, at 4

RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, March 1, 1886.

SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS.

(Taking Cargo at through rates to HAVRE, ANTWERP, AMSTERDAM, ROT-TERDAM and BREMEN)

Breconshire. W. Pope, Commander, will be despatched for the above Ports on or about the 19th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to

NOTICE

PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS.

The Co.'s Steamship Commandant will be despatched for

G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Hongkong, March 2, 1880.

NOTICE: MARITIMES.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Hongkong, March 2, 1886.

FOR VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA. The 3/3 L.1.1. British Barque WM. GRANT, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

RUSSELL & Co.

The \*AA 1 British Barque W. MALCOLM, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, February 6, 1886.

NOTICE.

MOR the Convenience of Customers, the Productions of the CHIMA SUGAR REFINING COMPANY, LIMITED, can henceforward be obtained by RETAIL, FOR

General Agents, Hongkong, July 27, 1885. 1262

FOR YOKOHAMA AND HIOGO. The Steam-ship

the above Ports on SATURDAY, the 6th Instant.

ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

Hongkong, March 1, 1886.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

Ports on the YANGTSZE.

For Breight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Hongkong, March 1, 1886.

Atalanta,
Capt. E. G. PFAFF, will be
despatched for the above The Steamship Ports on or about the 761 Instant, instead

SIEMSSEN & Co., Hongkong, March 1, 1886.

FOR NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL. The Steamship

For Freight or Passage, apply to

FOR LONDON AND HAMBURG, VIA SUEZ CANAL

The Steamship

ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

Hongkong, March 1, 1886.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

SHANGHAI shortly after her arrival from

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES

PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS. Commandant Benors,
will be despatched for
OKOHAMA shortly after the arrival of the Mail Steamer from Europe.

Sailing Vessels.

For Freight, apply to

Hongkong, January 6, 1886, FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

For Freight, apply to

CASH, at No. 3, PEEL STREET, at the same prices as at the REFINERY; or Retail Orders will be delivered at addresses in town on applicants forwarding their Monthly Requirements in writing direct to the REFINERY at East Point JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

HAVE FOR SALE

QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL.

# STORES.

York HAMS. Roll BUTTER. Topocan BUTTER. French BUTTER. EPP's COCOA.

VAN HOUTEN'S COCOA. Pienie TONGUES. MACKEREL in 51b Tins. RAISINS and CURRANTS. Crystallized FRUITS.

SAVORY & MOORE'S New Infant FOOD. BARNES & Co.'s JAMS. Potted MEATS.

PATE DE FOIS GRAS.

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GILBEY'S Sparkling SAUMUR, Pts. & Qts. SACCONE'S MANZANILLA. SACCONE'S Old Invalid PORT. Old Bourbon WHISKY.

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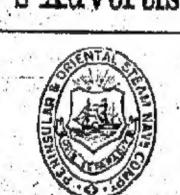
# MacEWEN, FRICKEL & Co.

Hongkong, February 10, 1886.

FOR SALE. ULES MUMM & Co.'s Quarts ..........\$20 per Case of 1 doz. Dubos Frères-& de Gernon & Co.'s

BORDEAUX CLARETS AND WHITE WINES. Baxter's Celebrated Barley Bree WHISKY, -\$7# per Case of 1 doz. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, July 18, 1884. 1187

# To-day's Advertisements.



THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

THE TEHERAN, S.S., is fixed to leave this Port at Noon, TO-MORROW (THURSDAY) with Mails and Passengers ex Thames, S.S., for EUROPE and intermediate Owing to the above the Tcheran is WITH-DRAWN from the berth for JAPAN.

A. MolVER. Superintendent; Hongkong, March 3, 1886.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY. LIMITED. FOR AMOY, TAMSUI & TAIWANFOO.

The Co.'s Steamship Fokien,
Capt. Goddard, will be despatched for the above Ports TO-MORROW, the 4th Instant, at Noon, instead of as previously advertised.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, March 3, 1886.

THE CHINA & MANILA STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR MANILA VIA AMOY The Co.'s Steamship Capt, G. TAYLER, will be despatched for the above Esmeralda. Ports TO-MORROW, the 4th Instant, at

5 p.m., instead of as previously notified. For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co.,

General Managers. Hongkong, March 3, 1886.

FOR HOLHOW, PAKHOL AND HAIPHONG. The Steamship Rosamond.

Capt. MORTLEMAN, will be despatched as above TO-MORROW, the 4th Instant, at 6 p.m., instead of as previously advertised. For Freight or Passage, apply to AH YON & Co.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,

Hongkong, March 3, 1886.

FOR SINGAPORE AND PENANG. The Steamship despatched as above TO-MORROW, the 4th Instant, at 6 p.m., instead of as previously advertised.

For Freight or Passage, apply to AH YON & Co. Hongkong, March 3, 1886.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW. The Co.'s Steamship Captain Pococa, will be despatched for the above Ports on FRIDAY, the 5th Instant, at

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, March 3, 1886.

FOR SINGAPORE, HAVRE AND HAMBURG, VIA SUEZ CANAL. Taking Cargo at through rates to LONDON. ANTWERP, AMSTERDAM, ROT-

TERDAM and BREMEN.) The Steamship Cassandra. Capt. HAESLOOP, will be despatched for the above Ports on WEDNESDAY, the 17th Inst., at

For Freight or Passage, apply to SIEMSSEN & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, March 3, 1886.

HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COM PANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE.

TOTICE is hereby given that ORIGINAL SCRIP CERTIFICATE, No. 1474, dated 12th February, 1885, for Two SHARES in the above Company, standing in the Name of EDWARD WARD, of Shanghai, has been LOST, and should the same not be produced before the 17th of the current month, a New Scrip Certificate will be issued to the said EDWARD WARD, and no transaction-taking place under the said ORIGINAL SORIP CERTIFICATE, No. 1474, will be Recognized by the Company.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,. General Managers, Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ltd. Hongkong, March 3, 1886.

HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Ordinary Half-Yearly MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Company's HOTEL on WEDNESDAY, the 24th Instant, at 3 o'Olock p.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, and Statement of Accounts to 280 | 31st December, 1885.

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 10th to the 24th Instant, both days inclusive. By Order of the Directors, LOUIS HAUSOHILD,

Secretary. Hongkong, March 3, 1886.

# To-day's Advertisements. To-day's Advertisements. To-day's Advertisements.

HORSE AUGTION.

ANE, CRAWFORD & Co, will Sell by Public Auction. TO-MORROW.

Foundam, opposite the City Hall, the BACE PONLES: CONSERVATIVE, WHITECHAPEL. RIBNET, VANITY FAIR. HARPENDON. TIT-DITE. ULOVB. OWINIA. THE BARON, Arology.

VERY FAST PONY, TRAP YAND HARNES CARRIAGE PONY & SET NEW HARNESS. Australian Carriage Horse & Harnes

HANSOMETER. 'Victoria' (English built). BLACK AUSTRALIAN CARRIAGE HORSE,

I LADY'S SADDLE, complete, &c., &c. 2 Milch Cows IN CALF (one 3 months and one 9 months). 2 HEIPERS, the property of E. R. BELILIOS, EEQ.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.. Auctioneers. Hongkong, March 3, 1886.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOOK COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE DIVIDEND of 7 %, or \$8.75 per SHARE for the Six Months ended 31st December, 1885, declared at To-day's Ordinary Yearly Meeting will be Payable at the premises of the Hongkong and Shang-HAT BANKING CORPORATION on and after THURSDAY, the 4th Instant, and SHARE-HOLDERS are requested to apply for Dividend WARRANTS at the Company's OFFICE, No. 14, Praya Central, Hongkong.

By Order of the Board of Directors, DAVID GILLIES,

Secretary. Hongkong, March 3, 1886. THE HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

NYOTICE is hereby given that an EX. TRAORDINARY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the REGISTERED OFFICE of the above named Company, No. 14, Praya Central, Victoria, Hongkong, on the 18th day of March, 1886. at 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of Confirming the Special Resolution proposed and passed at the last Meet ing of the Sharoholders held on the 3rd day

of March, 1886. Dated the 3rd day of March, 1886;-By Order of the Board of Directors, DAVID GHALIES.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOOK COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. YONTRIBUTING SHAREHOLDERS are requested to send in a STATEMENT or Dusiness Contributed during the Half-Year ended 31st December, 1885, on or before the 31st March, on which date the Accounts will be Closed.

By Order of the Board of Directors. DAVID GILLIES.

TO LET.

DOOMS in COLLEGE CHAMBERS. BISNER VILLA, PORPOOLUM. Nos. 2, 4 and 8, SEYMOUR TERRACE. Apply to the 4th March, 1886, at 4 p.m., by the

DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co. Hongkong, March 3, 1886.

#### Not Responsible for Debts.

Meither the Captain, the Agents, nor Owners will be Responsible for any Debt contracted by the Officers or Crew of the following Vestels, during their stay in Hongkong Harbour ;-

CARONDELET, American ship, Capt. W. F. Stetson.—Messageries Maritimes. FLINTSHIRE, British steamer, Capt. Jas. Dancaster. - Adamson, Bell & Co. FEGULICH, German brig, Captain W. Möller. - Wieler & Co.

Gronge, British barque, Capt. William Grant, -- Captain. MERON, American ship, Captain T. B. Glove. - Melchers & Co. ROSAMOND, British steamer, Capt. J. W. Mortleman. Gibb, Livingston & Co.

#### SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.

March 3, 1886 -Clara, German steamer, 674; C. Christenson, Saigon February 23, Rice and Paddy, -Siemesen & Co. Thales, British steamor, 820, T. G. Po-

cock, Talwanfoo February 25, Amoy 26, and Swatow March 1, General - Douglas STRAMBEIP CO. Danube, British steamer, 581, W. H.

Watton, Swatow March 1, General. - Yven FAT HONG. Yangtsze, British steamer, 814, F. Schultz.

Shanghai Fobruary 27, General, - Siemsen Flintshire, British steamer, 1,017, James

Dancaster, Saigon February 24, Rice .-ADAMSON, BELL & Co. Japanese, British steamer, 1,204, Wm. Moore, Saigon February 24, Rice & Paddy.

-Adamson, Bell & Co. Fero, German steamer, 754, A. Sörensen Chofoo February 23, General.—Stemssen Formosa, British steamer, 675, Ashton,

London via Penang Fob. 18, and Singapore 20, General .- DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP Co. Menelaus, British steamer, 1,300, Neilson, Liverpool-January 16, and Singapore, General -Borrenfield & Swife. Meron, American ship, 1,158, T. B. Glove, San Francisco Dec. 25, General -

## DEPARTURES

March 3:-China, for Saigon. Clieveden, for Saigon, Chelydra, for Yokohama. Albany, for Saigon. Yanguer for Whampoa.

MELCHERS & Co.

#### CLEARED

A. G. STOKES, Share Bridge

Galveston, for Saigon. F. H. Drews, for Sandakan. Crusader, for Haiphong. Fokien, for Amoy and Tamani Esmeralda, for Amoy and Manila. Chintung, for Shanghai. 437 E. F. Whitney, for Cobu.

#### Hongkong, March 3, 1886. Vessels Advertised as Loading.

Destination.	Vessels.	Captain.	Agents.	Date of Leaving.
Amoy, Tamsui and Taiwanfoo., Havre, &c., via Suez Canal Hiogo and Yokohama. Hoihow, Pakhol and Haiphong	Cassandra (s)	Haesloop E. G. Pfaff	Siemssen & Co	March 17, at 4 p.m.
Hoihow, Pakhol and Haiphong Kobé and Yokohama London, and Ports of Call London, via Suez Canal London, &c., via Suez Canal	Ulyases (s)	Bremner	Butterfield & Swire	March 4, at noon.
Margeilles, &c., via Saigon New York, via Suez Canal	Esmeralda (s)  Oxus (s)  Prinz Friedrich Carl (s)	Tayler Lequerré Lindo	Russell & Co	March 4, at 5 p.m. March 9, at noon. March 16, at 4 p.m.
San Francisco, via Yokohama San Francisco, via Yokohama San Francisco Shanghai, via Amoy	Sussex	W. Malcolm	Russell & Co	March 13, at 3 p.m. Quick despatch.
Singapore and Penang	Kennett (s) Taisang (s)	Sanderson Davies	Alt You & Co	Quick despatch.  March 4, at 6 p.m.  March 4 at 3 p.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Focchow Tientsin. Victoria (British Columbia) Yokohama and Hiogo Yokohama and Hiogo	Stanmore (s)	Wm. Grant Devernx	Russell & Co	Quick despatch.
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	SHARE I	LIST.—QUOTATIONS.	P.M.—MARCH 3, 18	86.
Nos. of Shares	Value. Paid-up.	Position PER LAST REPORT	Closing Quotations Cash	

	Shares.	r ditte.	up.	Reserve.	Balancec.f'ware	Last Dividend	Cash
BANKS. Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Corp. INSURANCES.	60,000	-125	\$ 125	\$ 4,500,000 For equali- sation of div. \$ 500,000	\$ 63,800.38	£2 div., & 10/ bonus }-year	184 % prom., ex div.
North-China Insurance Co., Ld	5,000	200	£ 50	****	Tis. 812,639.35	Tis. 20 p. sh. for 1884	Tla. 300 per ahare
Yangtere Insurance Company, Ld	8,000	25	£ 25		Tis. 3,059.76	3½ % for ½ yr. Dec. 31 1884	Tls. 128
Union Insurance Society Co., Ld China Traders' Insurance Co., Ld Canton Insurance Office Co., Ld	24,000 8	83.33	\$ 25	600,000	\$ 439,089.41 \$ 200,778.71 \$ 465,214.43	\$31 p sh. /84 18% Wannum 10 Z	\$475 871 8874
Chinese Insurance Co., Limited	1,500	1. 44 - 1.5	\$ 200	28,711.50	0 00 010 no	3% for 1 year	\$190 per abore
Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ld China Fire Insurance Co., Ld	8,000 \$ 20,000 \$	250 100			\$ 283,482.55	Dec. 31 1884 \$27,50 for '84 \$ 6 for 1884	\$376 m cash, ex div.
HK. C. and M. Steamboat Co., L.I.	8,000 1	100	\$ 75	800,000		8 % half year Dec. 31/85	Market Care and the Control
Douglas Steamship Co., Limited	20,000\$	50	\$ 508	86,764.16	8 402.22	12% yearend- ingJune3 /85	
Indo-China S. N. Company, Limited 60,000 shares issued.	18,387 £ 31,212 £			•••	£ 117.16.7	ing June 3 /85 3 % for 1884	o % prem. 5 % discount, cash
China and Manila S. S. Co., Ld	3,5004	123	1.27			111	25 discount
H'kong & Whampoa Dook Co., Ld. HK. and China Gas Co., Limited. New Shares. Hougkong Hotel Company, Lt. 3,000 aha issued China Sugar Company, Limited. Hongkong Ice Company, Limited. Hongkong Bakery Company, Limited. Luzon Sugar Company, Limited. Perak Tin Mining & Sting Co. Selangore Tin Mining Co. (Shai). Punjom & Sunghie Dus Samatan Mining Co. H'kong Rope Manufactory Co., Ld. H. & M. Glass Manufacturing Co.	5,000 £ 1,900 £ 3,000 \$ 1,000 \$ 1,250 \$ 600 \$ 7,000 \$ 5,000 \$ 2,500 \$ 40,000 \$	100 100 100 100 100 50 100 100	100 50 100 100 100 100 11 11 11 8 50	30,000 8,000	£ 1,527.3.11 \$ 2,236.76 \$ 13,451.51 \$ 1,125.30 \$ 690.66 \$ 1,094.52	bonus for 34 O'd, 84 New, 42 None 812 \$16	\$81 % prem., cash, buyers \$120 per share Old, \$170 per share Now, \$85 190 per share \$170 per share, ex div. \$115 ; ex div. \$76 ; cash, ex div. \$10 ; buyers   nominal \$8 ; cash \$61 ; cash, ex div. Par, nowinal
Chinese Imperial 1881 1 1 1884 4 1 1 1884 6	8,565 T 2790 8 2790 8 3189 8	1. 500 500 500 500		8 % 8 % 8 % 8 % 8 %	Payable, Innel6&Dec, 10 March 15 June 30 Oct. 15		par 1 % prem. 1 % n

Annivan. Per Thales, from Coast Ports, Mesers Spence, Lants and Ruthwell, and 197 Chi Per Danube, from Swatow, 203 Chinese Per Yangteze, from Shanghai, Miss Smith

PASSENCERS.

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Mr Strong, and 12 Ohinese. Per Japanese, from Saigon, 6 Ohinese. Ber Formora, from Singapore, &c., 34

Per Menelaus, from Liverpool, &c., Mr and Mrs Pruen, Mr Currie, and 365 Chinese from Straits.

#### DEPARTED.

Per Elektra, for Singapore, Messra D. Brandt, T. Peter, M. Michali, A. Tua, and 101 Chinese; for Penang, Rev. Joseph, and Per Cardiganshire, for London, &c., Mr A. Broom, Mr and Mrs Dennys, 2 children and native servent, and Mr Lamont.

TO DEPART. Per Galveston, for Saigon, 30 Chinese. Per Crusader, for Haiphong, Mrs Ricco, 2 children and an amah, Rov. Barquerro and 45 Chinese.

Per Fokien, for Amoy. &c., 45 Chinese. Per Chintung, for Shanghai, 12 Chinese

#### SHIPPING REPORTS

The Gorman steamer Clara reports : Left Saigon February 28rd, at 4 p.m.; from Cape St. James up to Cape Padran N.E. gale with high sea; thence up to Paracels fine weather with light E. breeze; from Paracels to port wind increasing during the three last days very foggy weather. The British steamer Thales reports : Left

Taiwanfoo on 25th February, moderato N.E. winds and fine weather. Left Amoy on 26th February, moderate N.E. wind and fine weather. Left Swatow on 1st March, light variable wind and thick fog throughout. At anchor off Nine Pins on 24th Feb. Steamora in Swatow, Tientein, Pechili, Velox

and Lorne. The British steamer Daniele reports Left Swatow Monday 1st March, and experienced dense fog and calms throughout Shipping in Swatow at the times of leaving were : Lorne, Velox, Tientsin and Namoa, Russian man-of-war, and Chinese Revenue

Craiser Ling-Feng. The British steamer Yangtsze reports Had light N.E. wind and foggy weather. The British steamor Flintshire reports Had moderate monsoon, latter part 42 hours

dense fog weather. The British steamer Japanese reports Had moderate mensoon and clear weather, until about 50 miles from port; then had a dense fog weather for last 36 hours. At 9 a.m. on 2nd, engines stopped, S.W. point of Ladrone was soon; and engines put full speed astern, but struck the Island; remained for nearly an hour and came off at 10/15 a.m. Anchored at 9 a.m. on 3rd, hove up anchor at 10 a.m. Anchored again 11:30 a.m., fog cleared away and arrived in port at 3 p.m.

#### POST OFFICE NOTICES. MAILS will close:-

For EUROPE, &c. -Por Teheran, Papers at 10 a.m., Letters at 11 a.m., on Thursday, the 4th inst. (Late Letters 11.10 to 11.30. Supplementary Mail on board till time of departure. Extra postage 10

For AMOY, TAMSUI & TAIWANFOO .-Per Fokien, at noon, on Thursday, the 4th inst., instead of as previously

FOR STRAITS & CALCUTTA. Per Taising, at 2.30 p.m., on Thursday, the 4th March. For SAIGON .-

Per Protos, at 4.30 p.m., on Thursday, Left over from Christmas, will be Sold at the 4th inst., instead of as previously notified. FOR AMOY AND MANILA .-Per Esmeralda, at 4.30 p.m., on Thurs-

day, the 4th inst., instead of as pre-For STRAITS SETTLEMENTS.

Per Kennett, at 5 p.m., on Thursday, the 4th inst. For HOIHOW, PAKHOI & HAIPHONG.

Per Resemond, at 5 p.m., on Thursday, the 4th inst. FOR YOKOHAMA & KOBE.-Per Stanmore, at 2.30 p.m., on Friday,

the 5th inst. For TIENTSIN .-Per Lee Sang, at 2.30 p.m., on Saturday,

the 6th inst For CHEFOO AND NEWCHWANG .-Per Ashiniton, at 3.30 p.m., on Tuesday, the 9th March.

For SINGAPORE.

Per Cassa dra, at 3.30 p.m., on Wednesday, the 17th inst, MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET. The United States Mail Packet Cityof Rio de Janeiro will be despatched on THURS.

DAY, the 4th March, with Mails for Japan, San Francisco, the United States, Canada, Honolulu, Peru, &c. which will be closed as follows:— 2.15 r.m. Registry censes. 2.30 r.m. Post-Office closes, but Correspondence may be posted on board the Packet with Late Fee of 10 cents extra

Postage until the time of departure.

MAILS BY THE PRENCH PACKET. The French Contract Packet Oxus will be despatched on TUESDAY the 9th March, with Mails to the United Kingdom, Europe, and places beyond, vid Naples; to Saigon, Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon,

Colonies, Aden, Natal and the Cape, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar.

HOURS OF CLOSING THE FRENCH MAIL The following hours are observed in closing Mails, &co., by the French Contract Packet --Day before departure (or Saturday if the departure be on Monday),—
5 P.M.—Money Order Office closes.

Post Office closes, except the NIGHT BOX, which is always open out of Office hours.

Day of departure — A. M. -Post Office opens. 10 A.M.—Registry of Letters ceases Posting of all printed matter

and patterns ceases.

A.M. -- Mails closed, except for Late II.10 A.E.-Letters may be posted with Late Fee of 10 cents until 11.80 4. H. - When the Post Office closes

on board the packet with Late

Fee of 10 cents until time of

MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW Shipping. Noon. - Fokien leaves for Amoy, &c. Noon. English Mail leaves for Ports

of Call and Europe. 3 p.m.—Taising leaves for Singapore, Penang and Calcutta. 3 p.m.-P. M. S. S. Co.'s Steamer leaves for Yokohama and San Francisco,

Ulysses leaves for London. 5 p.m. - Kemeralda leaves for Manila. 8 p.m. - Kennett leaves for Straits. 8 p.m. - Resamond leaves for Holhow, &c. Goods per Taisang undelivered after this date subject to rent. Goods per Glengarry undelivered after

this date subject to rent. Meeting. Noon.—Extraordinary General Meeting of the Hongkong Ice Company, Ltd.

Auctions. at Mr J. M. Armstrong's. 4 p.m. -Auction of Race Ponies at the Fountain, opposite the City Hali.

Miscellaneous. 2 p.m. -Field Firing in the Valley belov th Wantsai Gap. Dividend of 7% on Shares of H.K. W'por Dock Co., Ltd., payable at H. K

# General Memoranda.

SATURDAY, March 6:-Noon. - Tenders for Army Contracts re soived at Commissarint Office. MONDAY, March 8:-

Claims against the Chelydra must be sont in to Mesars Russell & Co., or or before this date. TUESDAY, March 9:-

9 p.m. -Performance at the City Hall. VEDNESDAY, March 10:-Transfer Books of the Hongkong Hote Company, Ltd., closed from this date to 24th Instant, inclusive.

RIDAY. March 12:-3 p.m. - Extraordinary General Meeting of Shareholders of the Lee Yuen Sugar Refining Company, Limited. WEDNESDAY, March 17:-

THUESDAY, March 18:-2.30 p.m. - Extmordinary Meeting of Shareholders of the H.K. and W poa Dook Co., Ltd. EDNESDAY, March 24

Corporation.

Hongkong Hotel Company, Ltd., at Hongkong Hotel. EDNESDAY, March 31 :--List of Contributions to the Canton Ina. Office, Ltd., to be sent in before this Statement of Business with the Hongkong

sent in before this date. EW KIND

and Whampon Dock Co., Ltd., to be

PHOTOGRAPHIC. ALBUMS.

ENGLISH CUT GLASS BOTTLES DOULTON WARE, FANCY GOODS,

REDUCED PRICES, during the

Continuance of this Advertisement. A. S. WATSON & Co., Ltd., THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY.

Hongkong, February 19, 1886.

SUN AND TIDE TABLE FOR HONGKONG. (From The Hongkong Almanack.)

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High water at Whampon: 2 hrs. 30 mins. later than at Hongkong; at the Barrier: 3 hrs. 15 mins.; at the Salt Flats: 3 hrs. 30 mins.; at Shameen 3 hrs. 45 mins. Moon :- Last Quarter, Feb. 26d. Oh. m. morning.

25 The publication of this issue commenced at 7.55 p.m.

The China Mail.

HONGKONG, WEDNESDAY, MARCH B, 1886.

GAMBLING AND SECRET SOCIETIES

Mr Pickering, the Protector of Chinese

in the Straits Settlements, in his last anmual report, which has just been issued, India (via Madras), the Australasian makes a vigorous appeal to his Government Ma J. J. Francis appeared for the first time on the question of gambling, and advocates as to-day in the Supreme Court in his robes a preventive of this evil in the Straits the as Queen's Counsel. The usual hours will be observed in closing deportation of some dozen bad characters. who, as headmen of Secret Societies, are Junus and Mrs Denny, as also Madame carrying on the organization of gaming Paschkoff, the Russian journalist, arrived bouses. Mr Pickering proves the necessity at Shanghai on the 25th ultimo by the for some such provision in a very forcible Nagova Mara from Japan. and convincing manner. At the time he wrote his report, he says there were some hundred or more common gambling houses night; and in a quarter of an hour's walk he certifies to having seen about seventy of The Hall & Holtz Co-operative Company these houses, at the door of many of which the Shangani Mergury hears, was registered were touts calling upon the passers-by to in Hongkong on the 22nd ultimo under the come up and make their fortunes. This Limited Limited Colling Ordinances of the Costate of affairs has arisen, he says, from lony, want of vigilarios on the part of the Police

more likely to create quarrels and jealousy tween the Secret Societies than the inlation which is aroused by a desire to Anre in the profits according from the establishment of gaming houses in the

various districts of the Settlements. There is much in Mr Pickering's report which is clearly as applicable to Hongkong as to Singapore; although, so far as our information on the point goes, there has never been any allegation made here that the Secret Societies are in any way interested in the promotion of gambling houses. For aught we or thepublic know, theevil may be featered by this means. Unfortunately, the Registrar General's Department here, which might enlighten us on this point, reserves all its communications, except a few dry-as-dust returns, for the cars of the Government alone, and, unlike the same 2 p.m.—Auction of Japanese Ware, &c., Department in Singapore, preserves a strict secrecy over its working. We take it, however, that if there had been any such connection between gambling and the Secret Societies as is hinted at the Superintendent of Police would at some time or other have alluded to it in his annual report. It would, therefore, be unjust to advocate the adoption of any measure specially directed. against these Societies on this account. Mr Pickering's anggestion to banish the promoters of gambling establishments is worthy of every consideration, whether the men be members of Secret Societies or not: that is, if gambling is to be properly held in check, for it will never be eradicated. It is patent to all here that the imposition of heavy fines does not diminish the evil to any great extent, and that after a short interval, the houses flourish as gaily as they did before the fine was levied and paid. Imprisonment becomes expensive to the Government, and is less feared by the offender than deportation; and, with Mr Pickering, we would therefore recommend this form of punishment in the 3 p.m. - Extraordinary General Meeting cases of men who are well known of the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking as gambling-house keepers. The best of these are persons whom the Colony would be well rid of, and with their departure the criminal roll would no doubt. be materally diminished. In these as in all cases of deportation, returning from 3 p.m .- Meeting of Shareholders of the banishment must be punished by flogging, or else the effect is lost. Those who sincerely desire to see this vice held within bounds ought to press this suggestion on the attention of the Government, who seem to still act on the principle of proceeding sgainst those houses only which become notorious and a nuisance to their neighbours. With Mr Pickering, we fully recognise that gambling will no doubt to a certain extent always exist amongst an Asiatic population ; but we must also insist on Government doing everything to reduce the evil to a minimum, and the deportation of a few of the leading spirits in its propagation here seems to us a measure that will tend towards that end. It must also be borne in mind that, if the Straits Government adopts deportation as a means of suppressing gambling. Hongkong will be compelled to adopt a similar policy in sheer self-defence.

# TELEGRAMS.

(Via Southern Line).

THE DUKE OF EDINBURGH. London, 2nd March. The Duke of Edinburgh, Commander of the Mediterraneau Squadron, has arrived at

# Malta, and is about to start for Suda Bay.

LOCAL AND GENERAL PASSED SURE CANAL OUTWIRD BOUND :- Murie, December 29 Canton, January 1; Compton, Wladibostock, Jan. 8; Marcia, Jan. 12; Horseguards, Rhodora, Jan. 15; Formosa,
Jan. 22; Norden, Jan. 26; Pandora,
Abflara, January 29; Gemorganshire,
Feb. 5; Ava. Glenroy, Feb. 9; Laertes,
Yorkshire, Feb. 16; Ningchino, Patroclus, and Promethesis, Feb. 10

clus, and Prometheus, Feb. 19; Mel-bourne, Feb. 23. Homeward Bound:—Claymore, February

5 Glenlyon, February 9; Diomed.

Yangisé, Feb. 19; Bellerophon, Feb. 23.

The O. & O. Co.'s steamer Gaelic, with the next American Mail of the 30th ult. left Yokohama on Friday, the 26th Feb. at daylight, and may be expected here on or about Thursday, the 4th March. The next FRENCH MAIL, per the M. M. Co.'s steamer Apa, will leave Saigon for this port on Wednesday, the 3rd inst. at midnight, and may be expected here on or about Sunday, the 7th inst.

He Douglas Steamship Co.'s new steamer Formosa, Captain Samuel Ashton, arrived here from Home this afternoon.

THE Ata, with the next French and Acs. tralian mails, was to leave Saigon to-day throughout Singapore, where gambling was Wednesday, the 3rd just, at midnight and carried on openly, in some cases day and may be expected here on or about Simday,

and the inefflorcy of the laws of the Colony; As will be seen from our shipping reports. and be argues that it constitutes a serious in another column, the British steamer 11.40 a.m.-Late Latters may be posted menacato the peace and good order of the Japanese went on shore on the Ladsopea Settlements, and has a demoralising in | during a log and remained fact for nearly duenne on the native Police. Nothing is an hour.

Ar the adjourned inquest hold yesterday on the body of Chap Lik Ying, the Chinese machinist who was killed by getting entangled in the machinery at the Glass Works, on the 17th ulto., the jury returned a vordict of accidental death

WE stated on Blonday evening that certain changes would take place in the official ranks consequent upon the departure of the Attorney General (the Hon. E. L. O'Malley). The Press of this morning hagards the statement that our announcement was premature-i.e., that the appointments have not yet been actually made. We die not may that they had been officially announced, but there can be little doubt that they are practically sottled.

On the 24th ultimo the homeward bound pennant was flying from the mainmast of H.M.S. ships Pegasus and Albatross at Shanghai, these yessels three-year commissions having expired on Tuesday night. The Albatron is under orders to leave for home about May, but she will not go off the station till her relief, the Satellite, comes across from the Pacific Station. the same night the crow of the Albatross invited the crew of the Pegasus to a dinner party ashore .- N.-C. D. News.

THE other evening we reproduced a paragraph which was translated from a Japanese native paper by the Japan Gazette, in which it was stated that Mr Jose Loureiro, Portuguese Charge d'Affaires to Japan and formerly Consul in Hongkong, had a farewell audience of the Mikado and was coming shortly to Macao. We believe this information is incorrect; probably the native paper has mistaken Mr Loureiro for into Chinese by the Rev. Father Tournade. Mr Roza, the Governor of Macao and Portuguese Minister Plenipotentary to Japan, who was recently in the Kingdom of the Rising Sun.

THE rifle shooting match, between teams of . seven Effective Members and seven Honorary Members of the Hongkong Volunteer Corps, will come off next Saturday afternoon. The Effective Team is composed as follows :- Lieut. Holmes, Sergeant Tomlin, Gunners Cornish, Wood, Morden, Jackson, and Hope. The Honorary Members com-Grote, Stiebel, Woodin, Leigh, Boyd, J. D. Humphreys, and Legge. We believe the and 500 yards' range; no sighting shot; Martini carbines. It is intended to hold Friday wook, and not after the match, as was at first proposed.

Commission which was provided for under Admiralty upon officers and seamen on the clause 7 of the Chefoo Convention has at China station has just been exposed, not, last been appointed, and that Mr Arthur if I remember aright, for the first time. It then drawing 26 feet of water forward and six months, but the member of vessels Canton Consulate, will also be a member. The Clause in question reads :- The Government of Hongkong having long complained of the interference of the Canton Customs Revenue Cruisers with the junk trade of the Colony, the Chinese Government agrees to the appointment of a Commission to consist of a British Consul, an officer of the Hongkong Government, and a Chinese official of equal rank, in order to the establishment of some system that shall enable the Chinese Government to protect its revenue without prejudice to the interests of the Culony.' The Courier hazards no opinion as to who the Hongkong official will be. Mr Justice Russell was a one time suggested.

THE adjourned enquiry into the circumstances attending the death, of Fung Tsui Tss and Chung Aut, two coolies who were killed by a fail of earth at the Ly-se-moon. Central Battery on the 19th Feb., was concluded this afternoon before the Acting of starting and also that after once clearing Coroner, Mr N. G. Mitchell-Innes, and a the Ly-se-moon Pass the course is clearer jury. The evidence produced was rather than that from Green Island, as the Ladconflicting. It appeared that the deceased rones can then be given a wide berth. the accident occurred; though it was not cause any apprehension of serious danger. very clear from whom the orders eman- Shortly after passing Kellott's Island, howated. The jury returned an open verdict ever, the Thames ran into a dense fog bank to the effect that the decessed met with and her course became very obscured. At gerous part of the trench, but could not decide on the evidence as to who was responsible for the man being employed there,

of the coolies engaged on the works, named second and more violent shock was experi-Tsu Chong and Ho Kwai, have been ar- enced which caused the vessel to lurch rested by the Police on a charge of causing the death of the two men who were killed.

THE statement made by our contemporary this morning, that Dr Ho Kai had been offered the appointment of Chief Secretary to the Chinese Legation at Washington, ospinot be said to be premature, as the offer was made to Dr. Ho Kai fully two off the rock, in comparatively shallow water, months ago. This post of Chief Secretary and her anchors carried out and made fast, to the Chinese Legation in the U.S. A. has become a rather important one to fill, the vessel had struck was the spit at the ex-Quieting telegrams recently received from youd Shau-ki-wan. Intelligence of the dissecept it, as he has been confirmed in the to the Central Police Station without delay, officials is likely to prove an obstacle in the Fossel. Everything on board after the rosway of obtaining a suitable Secretary. We sel struck was managed with the greatest believe that one of the conditions is, that order and regularity, Captain Seaton at

ledge of the English as well as the Chinese languages and manners is considered necessary, most slender inducements are held out to gentlemen possessed of such a knowledge. As an instance of this mistaken policy, it may be mentioned that no Chinese would accept such a post without first securing the rank of say an Expectant Taotal; and as this title and rank can be obtained only by the expenditure of a very large sum of money, it is natural that, a gentleman holding the position which Dr He Kai has gained would hesitate to accept a responsibility of so expensive a nature. We understand that Dr Ho Kei has been pressed to accept this post, but that these considerations have led him to decline the honour and until the Chinese Government sees fit to adapt its official system so as to meet cases like the present, it will fail altogether in obtaining auitable men for important offices similar to that which it is now so anxious to fill.

Truth is glad to hear that the Queen contemplates insuing a ukase censuring the have lately adopted of wearing the bedies and hats, and on dresses. Her Majesty strongly disapproves of this practice, which of late has greatly increased, which is daily increasing, and which most assuredly ough to be abolished.

Municipal School was opened at 3 p.m. on Tuesday, 23rd ultimo. The school is in a house near the succursale of the Hotel des Colonies, which has been found insufficient in accommodation for the number of scholars. M. E. G. Vouillemont. Presiden of the French Municipal Council, addressed a few words of advice to the scholars and masters, and his remarks were translated L'Echo says there are now a hundred and twenty young Chinese and several adults attending the school.

Ir every one, the Army and Navy Gazette says, would follow the example of Viscount Wolseley, not set for the first time, in refusing to pay the fees demanded for no reason at all from those whom 'the Queen delighteth to honour ' by the quaint gentry, who certainly are not survivals of the fittest, the practice of trying it on' when an officer is honoured by his sovereign for his services would soon cease to exist. There were claims of nearly peting against the Effectives are-Messrs 1,000t, made against Viscount Welseley force of water in the fore hold there upon his being raised to the peerage, and on being made a K.P.; but his lordship, with infinite spirit and very commendable conditions are-Seven shots at 200, 400, military promptitude, gave the claimants to understand that he would see them at a very great distance indeed before he acceded to their demands. They have not the farewell dinner for Major Tripp on got to the requisite point yet. The heralds sary. may 'sound the charge' in vain.

Says Truth :- An ingenious fraud-there The Shaughat Courier understands that the is no other name for it practised by the Davenport, who has been appointed to the is the custom, it seems, to distribute pay 17 feet aft. She will be able to steam on that station in silver dollars, the Government rate for which is 3s. 8d., while the bank rate is 3s. 42d. Those who can remit their pay home through the Admiralty and draw on their bankers may protect themselves against this swindle. Those, however, who have not this resource, in which number are, of course included all seamen, are simply defraudes of 3id. on every dollar paid to them. this arrangement were only part of a system of rigid economy at Whitehall, one would not be too hard on it. But when the department which condescends to such a contemptible trick itself spends a million of money without knowing it ---!

#### THE STRANDING OF THE MAIL STEAMER THAMES.

The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s steamer Thames, Capt. W. A. Seaton, with mails and passengers for Home, left her moorings in the harbour at about 4.20 yesterday afternoon on her voyage to Europe. The eastern exit from the harbour was chosen by Captain Seaton, owing probably to the fact that the steamer was heading that way at the time had received instructions to work at the The weather was rather thick when the dangerous portion of the trench where vessel started but was not sufficiently so to their deaths from a fall of earth in a dan- about 5 p.m., it was seen on board that the vessel was to the southward of her proper course, and a few minutes afterwards a alight shook was felt as she first touched Two of the Chinese foremen in charge ground, and almost immediately after a violently to the starboard side. The engines had been reversed before the vessel struck, and she had therefore little way upon her at the time. It was, however, at once apparent that the ship had reseived some serious damage from the rock she had struck, and the engines being kept going estern she was backed It was then discovered that the spot where and none the less so on account of the dis- treme end of Ah Kung Ngam Bay, just bethe United States. Mr. Ng Choy sould not sater was telegraphed from the Shau-ki-wan appeintment of legal adviser and translator and upon the information being forwarded to to H. E. La Hung Chang | but although an the P. & O. Company's office several steam exceptional man is really required for the lannohes and lighters were at once desposition, the conservation of the Chinese patched to the assistance of the crippled

Trade for the last quarter of 1885 issued by further that, although a thorough know- position of the ship and assuring them that there was no actual danger. One of the Kowloon ferry launches was among the first to arrive on the scene, and about 6.30 p. m. most of the cabin passengers embarked on her to be carried back to Victoria, the Police boat to the General Post Office. built in seven compartments, and the only injury she appeared to have sustained was in the fore compartment, the engine room and main hold were intact and no danger was apprehended. The steam pumps were at once set to work, but it was soon found that the water was gaining in the fore-hold. By that time, however, several lighters, despatched by the Company, had arrived, and work was commenced in discharging the cargo from that portion of the ship. About 11 o'clock, the Chinese passengers, to the number of about one hundred, were put, with their baggage, on board a lighter and towed by a steam launch back to Victoria. Before seven o'clock, the police from Shau-ki-wan under Inspector Swanston, who was at the Central Station when the news of any assistance required by Captain Seaton and his officers, and soon after Inspector Cradock, with a party of water police in a steam launch, arrived on the scone. It was L'Echo de Shanghai says that the French at first thought that some of the fishing community from Shauki-wan might at tempt some looting operations, but fortunately from first to last the strictest order was maintained on board and among

the craft around. By two o'clock this morning the water in the fore hold had risen to sixteen feet, the depth of water around the ship being six and a balf fathoms forward and seven fathoms-aft. By 11 this morning the depth of water in the fore hold had increased and was level with the water outside. Severaladditional lighters were sent during the morning to assist in unloading the vessel. All the cargo was taken from the main hold and some water had reached this compartment from a leak in the bulkhead, caused probably by the swelling of the hemp stored in the fore hold. The aft hold was dry, and provided the fore bulkhead holds out against the strain from the should be no difficulty in taking the vessel round to Aberdeen Dock which has been prepared for her. The Pilot Fish this morning to render any assistance neces-

morning, of the injuries austained by the Thames has shown that the yessel's stem round to Aberdeen. Her own pumps were ceding year. The progress made keeping the main compartment dry.

The Thames was launched from Messrs J. and G. Thomson's yard at Clyde Bank, Glasgow, in September 1881. She is a very fine steamer, built of steel, spar decked, with seven bulkheads. Her gross tonnage is 4,101, and registered 2,131. Her. engines are of the newest compound type with inverted cylinders of 58 and 100 inches respectively, with a stroke of 63 in. Her H. P. is 800 nominal with about 4000 indi-

The following were the European passengers who were on board at the time of the accident :- From Hougkong : for Singapore, Miss Cooke, Miss Ryan, Mr and Mrs Chan Kim Lee; for Penang, Mrs Koh Ah Sock; for Brindisi, Mr.H. St. John Browne; for Marseilles, Mesers G. R. Johnston and H. R. Coombes; for London, Mr and Mrs Wade Gard'ner and 2 infants, Mrs Ost and children, Mrs Weeks and 3 children. Mrs Creasy Ewens, Sergeanta Butlin, Jones, McKay and McAuley. From Shanghai : for England, Mrs Boone and about it. family, Messrs Wobster and Eckford. From Yokohama : for London, Mr W.

We understand that the mails and passengers will go on by the Company's steamer Teheran, which will leave at noon tomorrow. The Japan mails and passengers will proceed by the S. S. Zamberi, due here from Bombay to-day.

## ORICKET.

H. K. C. C. v. VISITORS. A match was played to day on the Oricket | was carried unanimously. Ground between the Hongkong Cricket Club and a team of Visitors. At gunfire the H. K. C. C. were for the first innings 31 ahead of the Visitors, with four wickets

The following are the scores :--C. D. Smith, c Travers, b Grimble ... W. Dunman, b Travers

Haywood Jones, run out

R. T. Denne, hit Wicket, b Grimble Caldbook, c & b Porter Barit, b Porter G. E. J. Gardiner, b Plumbe B. Huches, c Scanian, b Porter J. W. Tilley, c Chater, b Plumbe

H. J. J. Chambers, not only and the state of
byes 10, leg byes 4, wide halls 2
Total graph many more prompted 4
il. R. O. C. s finds improved.
A. E. Trerose, b Barff
W. B. Bobertson, b Dumman
Capt. Pertor, a Robertson, b Barff
Lart. Pirmbo b Bayf
C. P. Chater, not out
D da C Rankley h Wasserd Tetra
G Grimble, b Haywood Jones
W. H. F. Darby, o Cardener, b Harwood
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G. B. Coxon, not out
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G. Spewart, to but
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Byes 20, les byes 7, wides a

#### We have to acknowledge the Returns of the Chinese costume must be worn; and once informing the passengers of the real MEETING OF THE LEGISLA. TIVE COUNCIL.

The members of the Legislative Council mot this afternoon (the 3rd inst). There were present :- His Excellency the Officer. Administering the Government (W. Marsh), President; His Honour Sir George mails in the meanwhile having been landed Phillippo, Chief Justice; Hon. F. Stewart, at Shau-ki-wan, and forwarded thence in a | Acting Colonial Secretary; Hon. E. L. O'Malley, Attorney General; Hon. A. Lister, Almost immediately after the vessel struck Colonial Trensurer; Hon. J. M. Price, it was found that there were two feet of Surveyor General; Hom P. Ryrie; Hon. water in her fore-hold, but as the ship is W. Keswick: Hon. T. Jackson; Hon. F. D. Sassoon : Hon. Wong Shing.

> MINUTES. The minutes of the last meeting were read

The Acting Colonial Secretary moved that the following Votes recommended by the Finance Committee be now authorised by the Council :- For rebuilding the retaining wall below the Government Civil Hospital demaged by a fire-\$8,000; for rebuilding retaining wall to prevent landaline at the rear of inland, lot 696, East of the Government Civil Hospital \_8945; and \$296, the amount due the late Scavenging Contractor for the first six days of Novem-

The Colonial Treasurer seconded, and the proposal was carried.

THE BELICIOUS CEREMONIES ORDINANCI The first order of the day was 'to go into Committee on a bil entitled the Religious Festivals and Ceremonies Ordinance, ported yet, the Attorney General moved being self-supporting, a point which the that the order stand over. This was agreed Committee have made one of their chief-

THE TRADE MARK ORDINANCE. reading of a bill entitled The Trade Marks marks to apply direct to the Governor instead of making indirect application to the Secretary of State.

The Acting Colonial Secretary seconded. The bill was road a second time, considered in Committee, read a third time,

This was all the business, and the Council was adjourned until this day week, at four

THE HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA

DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED. The ordinary yearly meeting of the shareholders in the Hongkong and Whampos Dock Company, Limited, was held in the offices of the Company, Praya Central at three o'clock this afternoon. Those present were :- Mr A. McIver (Chairman) Hon. W. Keswick, Messra M. Grote, E. H. M. Huntington, H. Hoppius, L. Poennecker, and C. D. Bottomley (Directors); A. Carvalho, D. R. Crawford, Wotton, J. A. dos Remedios, W. H. Ray, H. W. Davis, J. H. Smith, G. de Champeaux, J. H. Cox, W. Legge, F. Henderson. N. J. Ede. S. J. Gower, A. S. An examination made by divers, this Cohen, and D. Gillies (Secretary). The Secretary having read the notice

calling the meeting. The Chairman said Statlemen, with your permission we will Boosider the Report read, and trust that it will give general. bulkhead have been torn away. She was engines has been in excess of any previous so great as in the wir months in the prethe construction of the new dock has been fairly gatisfactory. The excavations are well advanced, and on a good solid bottom about 100 feet of the concrete foundation has been laid. The granite mesonry will be commenced in about a month. The Admiralty have paid two instalments of the free grant and loan, and a third instalment is now about due. ncrease in the capital to which your consent will be presently asked, is considered nocessary by the Directors on account of the heavy expenditure on the constructient is not being lost sight of. tion of the new dock and the large payments for new shops and machinery. The additional capital will enable us to pay off several mortgages on the property and lessen the large overdrawn account at the Bank. Before proposing the adoption of the Report I shall be glad to give any further information that may be desired. Mr Cox-Lace by the accounts that the

Fame is only valued at \$5,000. Is she not worth more than that ? The Chairman-I am very doubtful inleed if she is. The large expense required to put the Fame in a state of efficiency

makes it doubtful whether the is worth more than that. Mr Cox-The Directors think that if the ship was put up to auction she would not

fetch more than \$5000 ? The Chairman-They are very doubtful

Mr Goosmann seconded, and the motion was carried unanimously Hon. W. Keswick-I have the honour to propose that the appointment of Messra | One Sugar Debenture, ssy ...

Huntington and Poesnecker to seate on the Board be confirmed, and that Messrs Grote and Huntington, who, by the Articles of Association, retire, he re-elected. Mr Ede seconded, and the motion was

carried unanimoutly. The Chairman proposed the re-election of Messra Thos. Arnold and H. W. Davis as Auditors for the ensuing your, at an increased remuneration of \$200 each. Mr Cox seconded, and the proposition

The Chairman—Gentlemen, that is all The Hon. P. D. Sassoon the business of this meeting. Dividend Messes Holliday, Wise & Co. a. warrants will be ready to-morrow. There Messa Douglas Lapraik & Co.

will now be an extraordinary meeting, to The Right Ray, the Bishop of Victoria consider the increase of capital. Mr Grote E. E. Hasson, Esq. will take the chair.

Mr Grote, having taken the chair, said-Gentlemen, my predecessor has given full resson for laying this proposal before you, The Hon. E. L. O'Malley and I have simply now to read the special B. Schmacker, Eq.

Resolved that the Capital of the Company be increased to the aum of \$1,562,500.00 M.J. Bde, Esq. D.E. Caldwell, Esq. legally current from time to time in the College H. L. Dalrymple, Esq. Mescra Lane, Crawford & Co. D. Gillies, Esq. new shares of \$125.00 each, and that the A. Box, Esq.

Directors be authorized to issue these shares.

A. Box, Esq.

H. H. Beanchamp, Esq.

A. Melver, Esq.

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A. Melver, Esq. up shares, similar in all respects to the H. L. Dennys, Esq. w. H. Rzy, Esq. existing shares of the Company's capital. C. F. Grossmann, Esq. Subject to any direction to the contrary C. S. Goodwyn, Esq. that may be given by the meeting that W. C. Humphreys, Esq. sanctions the increase of capital, all new shares shall be offered to the members in proportion to the existing shares held by Meses Louis a Co them, and such offer shall be made by Mosms A. S. Watson & Co. notice specifying the number of new shares to which the member is entitled, and limiting a time within which the offer, if not Masses Falconer & Co. accepted, will be deemed to be declined. A. C. Maria, Sec. and after the expiration of such time, or

on the receipt of an intimation from the member to whom such notice is given that he declines to accept the Shares offered, the Directors may dispose of the same in such manner as they think most beneficial to the

Mr Legge seconded, and the special resolution was carried unanimously. The Chairman -An extraordinary meet ing of shareholders will be held on Thursday the 18th instant, at 2.30, for the purpose of confirming the special resolution passed this meeting. That is all the business before the meeting. I beg to thank you for your attendance.

The meeting was then dissolved.

THE HONGKONG PUBLIC SCHOOL Committee :- Bishop Burdon, (Chairman); Rev. Dr. Chalmers ; D. R. Crawford, Esq. ; H. W. Davis, Esq.; W. H. Forbes, Esq. Hon. T. Jackson; Rov. W. Jennings, M.A. Hon. W. Keswick; G. R. Lammert, Esq. Hon. A. Lister, (Sec. & Tr.); A. P. McEwon, Esq.; Hon. E. L. O'Malley; Rov. J. B. Oat ; Hon. P. Ryrie.

Head Master: C. J. Bateman, formerly Head Master of Modern Dopartment, Tren College, Notts: Head Master of Allsopp's Foundation School, Burton-on-Trent; Head Master of British Orphan Asylum, Slough.

Report for 1885. In presenting their sixth Annual Repor and Statement of Accounts, the Committee of the Public School feel that they have great cause for encouragement as to the standing and progress of the school, more Special Committee on the Bill had not re- especially as to its steady advance towards further time and that if he did not com-

The number of scholars not only keeps The Attorney General moved the second up, but even gradually increases. There are now forty boys in regular attendance, Ordinance amendment Ordinance. He said which is as many as the available teaching the bill power can do justice to. It would be easy to double or treble this number, it the Committee would consent to alter the essential character of the School Christian School for European boys, But it is not desirable to do so. The education of boys of other parentage is amply proyided for elsewhere, and the Committee apecial cases, each one being considered on its own merits. Mere numbers are in ing to the Mr Musso, and also themselves no object, as of course a large teaching staff would involve a serious addition to the expenses of the school, nor would the buildings at present in use suffice for its accommodation should it very

> The resignation of the late Head Master. extent, but this is a disadvantage the Comcops with, until they can offer a Master replaced by Mr and Mrs Bateman, with whose appointment the Committee have every reason to be satisfied.

Considerable additions have been made ing have been introduced; Chemistry will A. E. Vaucher, G. M. Bain, J. Goosmann; be added as soon as a laboratory is fitted The Committee hope shortly to be able to announce that the School has been made a centre for the Cambridge Local Examinations. Application has been made to the Syndicate, and the work of the Upper School has already been arranged

with a view to holding these Examinations and certain specifications were attached the next Government Scholarship.

Community for Subscriptions, which are naked not only towards the current ex-Endowment Fund. The Committee have found the formation of this fund a hard and uphill task. They feel, however, that when after aix yours' work they can to a fund of 88,000, it is their plain duty to press on towards their constant aim. stablishment of the School on a selfsupporting basis. Not until the Endowment Fund reaches \$20,000 will they feel that this object has been attained. whilst each year sees a substantial addition to the fund, they may consider that the o

The Chairman then proposed the adoption One Sugar Debenture, say ... Added from Working Account Examined and found correct. N. J. EDE, Anditors. Hongkong, 1st February, 1880. Most of this sam has since. China Bands, 1884, C. POJATIONS-1985.

E. Sir George F. Bowen, o.c. z.c. Messes Jardine, Matheson & Co. The Hon. T. Jackson

SUPREME COURT. IN ORIGINAL JURISDICTION. (Before Sir George Phillippo, Chief Justice Wednesday, March 3.

A DESPUTED CONTRACT. This was a case involving two counter actions : one by Wang Amow v. Dominio Musso, and the other Dominico Musso Wang Amow, the original point in di pute being the carrying out of a contract for the extension of the buildings on Rural Lot No. 108, Pok-fu Lam, belonging to the defendant in the first sction.

Mr Baily, instructed by Messrs Sharp Johnson and Stokes, appeared for Wang Amow : and Mr Francis, instructed by Mi H. J. Holmes, appeared for Mr Dominico

Mr Baily said there had been a suit pending in the Summary Court, which was of the pature of a counter-action to the suit of Wang Amow v. Dominico Musso. which the defendant sought to establish claim for \$1000 for alleged non-performance of contract by plaintiff. That suit and this were mixed up in the same matter. order was made in the second suit his client to give up possession of the promises, evidence being given that he had not. according to agreement, put on additional workmen to expedite the work in any way The whole matter, however, depended on the nature of the original agreement, and as there were peculiar circumstances connected with the case he saked to be allowed to load evidence in the first suit.

Mr Francis said there was a contract in the original specification binding the plaintiff to do the work for \$3,000 and there was a subsequent agreement by which it was arranged that he was to get two months plets it in that time he would be liable to \$1,000 damages. His friend was seeking to go behind these agreements and was claiming about \$5,000 for work which plaintiff had agreed to do for \$3,000.

The Chief Justice, after some discussion, allowed proof of the first suit to be taken. Mr Baily then made the following statement of the case. He said this was an action brought by the plaintiff, a contractor, who claimed \$3,250 for labour done and material supplied at the request of the dofendant, who was a merchant on Praya West. In or about the month of August the plaintiff agreed to make certain addionly allow exceptions to their rule in tions and alterations in the premises, Rural Lot No. 108 Pok-fu Lam, belongprovide for material and labour for the same. Subsequently, at the request of the defendant, he executed further additions and provided material and labour therefor. The plaintiff had performed all the work he agreed to do to the value of \$5.367. defendant had from time to time paid sums announced in last year's report, naturally of money to the plaintiff, leaving, it was unsettled the work of the School to some stated, \$3,267 due by the defendant to the plaintiff. This, however, was but the first mittee will more or less always have to estimate of the amount due and subsequeut enquiry had shown that the amount terms which would justify a long engage. due was \$3,745, which he wished to subment. Mr and Mrs Hambling have been situte in plaintiff's petition for the original sum, \$3,267. Plaintiff did not admit defendant's right to deduct a sum of 878 from the amount to be received by him. This sum represented-certain charges for

in the School course, and also to its nims surveyor's fees, and legal fees which was deand objects. French, German, and Sing- ducted from the \$1,700 dollars advanced to him. The plaintiff admitted having received \$1,622 and declared that there remained a balance of 83.745 with interest at 8 per cent. In reply to those statements the following defence had been made. On the Ist August 1884 an agreement was entered into between plaintiff and defendant for the building of the premises already specified at Christmas next. It is also probable the greement. Defendant denied that he that one or more pupils will compete for aver requested plaintiff to make any additiqual alteration in the premises or to prosecure the success of these plans it has vide for any material other than notified in been found necessary to add an hour to the the specification. Defondant further asserts that on lat March, the time for the It is necessary again to appeal to the completion of the work, two months addi-

the work; and that at that time plaintiff penses of the School, but also towards the signed a memorandum, providing that, if he failed to complete the work in the time specified, he would be liable for \$1000 damages. It was asserted that plaintiff did not perform all the work but left a part of it unfinished and that defendant had been put to great inconvenience and delay by the non-fulfilment of the agreement. It was further asserted that plaintiff received \$2,100 dollars to account for the contract work and that there was no money due to him. but that on the contrary plaintiff was indebt ed to defendant for damages and expense incurred on account of his not having com pleted the work at the given time. The circumstances of the case were briefly these. In August 1884, defendant purchased a house at Pok fu Lam belonging previously to the Government. It was a house that had been unoccupied for a considerable time and had fallen into a rather serious state of distepair. \$4,005.77 It required considerable improvement and additions before it could be rendered habitable. Accordingly, with a view to having it put into this state; the proprietor entered into negotiations with the defendant to carry out these repairs and altera-18.00 tions. An arrangement was come to be tween them on the premises at Pok-fu Lam. They both went over the house and cortain work that had to be done was pointed out by the defendant to the plaintiff. fact they went into the matter pretty thoroughly, and the defendant asked plaintiff if he would do the work for \$3,000. Plain tiff said he would take time to consider his answer. He finally agreed that he would

do the work at the stipulated price. Sub-

sequent to this agreement a document was

drawnup-he believed by the defendant him-

self-which purported to contain the verbal agreement which had been come to previously on the premises at Pok-fu Lam. The plaintiff was unacquainted with the English language, but he signed the document. It would be found to-morrow by the evidence which he would give that he could never have received any perfect explanation or translation of the document. At the time he affixed his signature to the document, there was no plan or specification attached. Subsequently a plan was shown to plaintiff; who at that time pointed out that the plan was not identical with the work he had was not identical with the work he had was charged with having on 23rd ultimo, verbally agreed to do for the defendant, that slong with others not in oustody, robbed in fact if he executed the work according to Wong Yuk Shang, a shopkeeper, of a dollar this plan he would lose money. He believed in silver. Defendant stated that about 8 the defendant then said to the plaintiff, o'clock at night on the day in question he Never mind, what I want you to do you must | was walking along Queen's Road Central do, I no want you lose money, I pay you near the Man On Insurance Co., when four more money. He laid special stress on men met him of whom defendant was one. that statement, for it was the ground. Defendant took hold of his neck and two of on which plaintiff had been going to work his companions seized his arms, the fourth throughout. He distinctly understood taking his purse and extracting from it that he was to get paid for what he did in a one dollar in milver. Some small cash proper manner. Accordingly he entered which was in the purse was not taken. into the work and it progressed for some Three of the men fled, but defendant was months. Owing to one circumstance or an captured. The Magistrates sentenced priother it was not completed within the time soner to two years' hard labour agreed on, namely January 1885. There seemed to have been some correspondence between the parties at that time and some complaints were made. Things went on however, until the 21st March 1885. On that day another document was drawn up which was called a further agreement, and in that agreement a further time of two months was allowed to the plaintiff to complete he work. Wang Amow also algued that agreement in which was inserted a

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would tell his Lordship, himself knew quite well that he could finish this work in the time and that the clause would be incperative so he made no objections to the agreement. Subsequently, however, difficulties were put in his way by defendant, so that he could not obtain certain kinds of wood necessary for the building. By this means the delay was caused which prevented him from completing the building in the time pecified. As the work was not finished in the two months he received an order insued in the Summary Jurisdiction in June 1885 ordering him to quit the oremises, and Mr Palmor, of Means Bird and Palmer, was ordered to go over to Pok-fo Lam and value the work still remaining to be done inder his contract. He found the value of that work to be \$114.68 It was also found at that time that certain additional work had been done at that time by the laintiff which amounted in value to \$600 In the second agreement there was a peculiar provision made that the plaintiffshould not make any claim for work unless it was specially agreed to and ordered in writing. Now the extra work done by the plaintiff had been done previous to that agreement being signed. For the advances that were made to defendant the extraordinary method of taking promissory notes for the money was adopted. Mr Baily maintained in conclusion, that even if the plaintiff were not entitled to claim for the oxtra work the difference between \$622 and \$3000 was due

Witnesses were then examined for the prosecution. The plaintiff, who was the first called, practically recapitulated the facts as stated by Mr Baily. The hearing of the suit was adjourned.

#### Police Intelligence. (Before A. G. Wise, Esq.) Wednesday, March 3.

A PERSISTENT VACIDOND.

John Burns, a sailmaker hailing from England, was convicted of wandering abroad unlawfully and lodging in the open air without any fixed place of abode or any visible means of subsistence. Seven previous convictions for drupkonness and similar offences were recorded against him. and he was sent to prison for three months.

DISTURBANCE ON BOARD A DUTCE VESSEL Robert Bunnhauser, Gustav Weidstion August Anderson, and Hans Yonson seamen on board the S. S. Protos, were charged at the instance of Captain Conrad Scrensen, commander of that vessel, with having been drunk and disorderly on board on 25th ult. The plaintiff said that about 7 o'clock on the day in question bo heard a great noise on deck. It was the sound of men going into the mate's cabin. He heard the mate go on deck, but the noise not censing witness after some time had elapsed went on deck, where he saw the mate and 1st defendant, heard a bottle break, and saw the mate run down the stops holding his head from which blood was proceeding. The 3rd and 4th defendants came down the steps, and it was with some difficulty that he could make them go away. The defetidants were all more or less drunk. The mate's wound was a scalp wound which kept bleeding for two hours. The 3rd defendant had a nasty out on the

Rudolph Luburgh, chief mate, said that while he was in his room he heard a great noise on deck. On going on deck to see what was the matter, he found 2nd and 3rd defendants throwing things about. The second defendant threw a large plank at him, while the third defendant tried to get hold of the second. The mate then tried to get the two men away. He after wards went bolow, when the first defendant came niter him and said he could not get rest forward. The mate perceived that the man was not sober and sent him away. At 8.30 or the same evening the noise in creased again and came close to the cubin He heard something said about knives and he started to go on teck. When he had got half way up he met first defendant with a sailor's knife in his hand. He tried to take it away from him, but before he could do anything a bottle was thrown which alruck him on the head. He did not know who throw the bottle, but he heard the voice of the second defendant. He elieved the bottle was intended for the first defendant. The second mate was with him at the time this took place. He saw, 3rd defendant before he was struck. He was a little drunk and had a wound on his shoulder.

Corroborative evidence was given by he second mate, and after some further evidence the summons against the 3rd defendant was withdrawn. The 4th defendant was fined \$3. with the option of seven days; the second \$10, with the option of one month's imprisonment; and the first defendant, who was found guilty of cutting and wounding, was sentenced to six weeks

CHARGE OF ADMINISTERING STUPEFYING

Ohoi Chu, a shopman residing at Nam Hoi. was charged with administering atupefying drugs to Ho Kwa Sim, an inmate of a brothel, and stealing a gold bangle worth \$20. Complainant said that defendant went to get a bowl of congee for both of them. After taking three quarters of the bowl of conges she felt giddy; she afterwards went with defendant. In the morning while she was still giddy from the drug she. folt defendant cutting the bangle on her

Defendant said he made the bankles or plaintiff. He admitted having cut one for the reason plaintiff had taken another lover. He denied administering any drage. The case was remanded for further enquiry.

(Before both Magistrates.) THEFT OF EABRINGS. Ma Shau, of Sun Ut, pleaded guilty to having stolen from Chung San a married woman a pair of earrings valued at 88. A sentence of two years hard labour was

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Libatrons	composite screw sloop	940		840	Commander Chas. Hicks	Shanghai
Audacious*	double-screw fron frigate	6010	14	4330	Capt. Robert Hastings Harris	Bangkok
hampion	corvette	2380	14	2340	Captain A. T. Powlett	Yokohama
Leopatra	corvette	2380	14	2610	Captain L. C. Keppel	Chefoo
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onstance	corvotte	2080		_	Capt. Seymour Dacres	Hongkong
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aring	composite alcop	940	4	920	Commander Davis	Bangkok
sk	double-screw gunboat	360	3	340		In reserve
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rebrand	gunboat	450	4		LieutCom. D. L. Dickson	Hongkong
ying Fish	aloop	940	4	840	Captain J. P. Maclear	Hongkong
eander	corvette	3750	10		Captain M. J. Dunlop	Hongkong
nnet	double-screw gun-vessel	767	5	1050	Commander W. Marrack	On a cruise
erlin	gunboat	430	4	430	LieutCom. W. M. Maturin	Singapore
idge	double-screw gun-vessel	465	4	470	Commander Hotham	Canton
egasus	composite screw sloop	1130	- 6	970	Commander H. T Grenfell	Shanghai
mbler	sloop	830	3	1.17	Commander W. U. Moore	Shanghai
pphire	corvette	1370	12	2360	Captain R. G. Kinahan	Singapore
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	receiving ship		- 0	1230	LieutCom. Farquhar	
gilant	paddle despatch-vessel	835		750	Captain Orford Churchill	Bangkok
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Atalanto	French frigate	4000	-	-	Commander Trève	Baigon	Advance Siam, bqe.
Comète	French gun-vessel	483	1 - N		Lient. Commander Noirot	Haiphong	Amity Britbqe.
Decres	French cruiser	861			Captain de Montesquon	Yokohams	Aurora Brit. bge.
Duchaffant	French cruiser	1300	19		Comdr. Lemeruer Moussaux	Yokohama	Ban Lee Siam, bge. Borra Norfol Siam, boe.
Iltia	German gunboat	420	4	340	Lieut,-Commander Hofmeyer	Swatow	
Jaguar	French gunboat	430	-	-	Commander Fouet	Haiphong,	Bna Pan Siam. bqe.
Laclocheterie	French corvette	2500	12		Commander St. Maurice	Baigon	Bua Caac Siam, bog
La Perouse	French corvette	2300	-		Capt. Mequet	Saigon	Caroline Siam. 8 sc.
Lutin	French gunboat	437	4	100	Captain Duval	Haiphong	C. Wattana Siam, boe.
Magon	French corvette	2400			Commander Puech	Keelung	Confucius Siam, sch.
Manila	Spanish transport	650		3 - X	Luis Bayo y Hernandes Pinron	Hongkong	Diamond City Siam. bge.
Marion	U. S. corvette	910	3		Commander Merrill Miller	Shanghai	Deretta Siam. bg.
Monocacy	U. S. gunboat	1375	6	750	Commander F. J. Higginson	Tientein	Envoy Siam bq8.
Nautilus	German gunboat	600	1	1600	Commander Rötger	Shanghai	Falcon Siam. bge.
Omaha,	U. S. corvette	2400	12	_	Capt. Thos. O. Selfridge	Yokohama	Foochow Siam. bg.
Ossipee	U. S. corvette	2100	8	800	Commander J. J. McGlinsey	Yokohama	Fortune Siam. bge.
Palca	U. S. gunboat	306	6	- 500	Lieut, Com. Thomas Nelson	Chemulpo	Friederlog Ger, bqe.
Pluvier	French gunboat	480		· · ·	Commander Poidlone	Haiphong	Goliah Siam bg.
Primauguet	French corvette 0	2200		2,01	Commander M. Buge	Yokohama	Meridian Siam, sch.
Prinz Adalbert	German corvette	3980	14		Captain Mensing	On a cruise	Muscino Ital bqa.
Rio Lima	Portuguese gunboat	539			Captain Raphael d'Andrade	Hobgkong	Rapid Siam. bge.
Roland	French craiser	2500	15	3 4 18 - 3 4 Kg	Commander Mayet	Amoy	S. Hamoed Brit. sch.
Sagittaire .	French gun-vessel	1 200	-			Chefoo	Siamese Crown Siam, sh.
Saofie	French corvetto	1700	1, 44		Commander W. Monin	Saigon	Titchou Siam. bg.
Tamega	Portuguese gunboat	410	-		Captain Avils	Mecao	Young Siam - Siam. bge,
Tranton	U. S. frigate	2500	10	3000	Captain R. L. Phythian	Yokohama	
Turenne	French frigate	5100	-		Captain Dupuis	Cruising	Printed and published by Gro. MURRAY
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